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## BRITISH VICTORY IS ONE OF MAGNITUDE

Around Neuve Chapelle, in Northern France, is Emphasized by Late Statements

#### GERMAN LOSSES NOT FAR SHORT OF 10,000 MEN company. It is said that the crew of the airship was rescued by Danish

Captured Three Lines of Trenches and a Fortified Work-French and German Versions of Operations in the Champagne and Argonne Regions are Contradictory-In Russian Poland the Expected Battle Around Przasnys is Developing Slowly - Washington Announces That a Close Watch is to be Kept on Ships Clearing From American Ports-It is Reported That State Papers Are Being Picked Up at Constantinople Preparatory to Removal.

The magnitude of the British victory around Neurve Chapelle in Northern France last week continues to grow as evidenced by a statement from the British war office which declares that in three days' fighting the Carman losses could not have fallen ed. German losses could not have fallen far short of 10,000 men. Prisoners to the number of 1,720 were taken by operations

Regarding these French official statement says:
"The success gained by the British armies at Neuve Chapelle proves to have been absolutely complete. They captured three lines of trenches and a fortified work. The enemy suffered

The French war office also tells of advances in the Champagne and Ar-gonne regious, but Berli declares that all the attacks by the French in Champagne broke down under the German fire, with heavy losses to the

In the eastern zone the expected battle in Russian Poland around Przasnysz is developing slowly, both Russians and Austrians clai

have made gains in Galicia and the Carpathian mountains.
"In fighting for the empire, Irish-men are fighting for Ireland," John Redmond, the Irish leader, told an audience in a speech at Manchester to-day. Mr. Redmond said that Ireland

clearing from American ports, in accordance with the government's de-termination to make more rigid its precautions against violations of enu-

Six American army officers are on the way to the eastern war theatre observe the fighting from the the German lines.

Regarding the operations in the Dardanelles by the warships of the allies, late despatches lack details of the progress being made, but advices from Sofia, by way of London, report that the state archives are being packed up at Constantinople preparatory to removal. Eski Shehr, in Asia Minor, may be the new Ottoman capital.

#### FIERCE ENGAGEMENT FOUGHT IN ALSACE

Grim Bravery Shown by Both Sides -No Quarter Shown.

Geneva, via Paris, March 14.—Details received here of the engagement fought between the French and Germans for the possession of the heights Reich Ackerkopf stamp it as one the most sanguinary of the war in Alsace. Many regiments were used on both sides and they frequently were reinforced. General Diemling personally directed three German counter attacks against the crest of a hill which had been captured by French chasseurs and Alpine troops

According to reports no quarter was given and none was asked. Few shot were fired, for most of the work was with the bayonet. The Germans said, after four repulses, retired to Muchibach, leaving 900 dead and three times that many wounded. Grim bravery was shown by the troops on both sides.

The success reported by the French gives them a position commanding two valleys for their artillery.

TRAIN BLOWN UP

BY FRENCH AIRCRAFT London Says Germans Have Lost 10. 000 Men in Three Days.

London, March 14, 9.35 p. m.—The war office tonight made the following

announcement: heavy counter-attack delivered by the enemy Saturday afternoon and several minor counter-attacks earlier in the day all were repulsed.

"Judging by observations on various positions of the field of battle, and by statements of prisoners, of whom there are now 1,720, the enemy's losses must have been very heavy and losses must have been very heavy and cannot have fallen far short of 10,000 men within three days. "A train at the Don station was up by our aircraft Sunday

#### BELGIAN TROOPS ARE

FORGING FORWARD, Invaders Are Bombarding Ypres-Several Civilians Killed.

Paris, March 14, via London, 3.30 p.m.—The statement given out at the war office this afternoon is as follows: "Belgian troops continued to make ogress in the bend of the Yser. peir artillery, supported by our heavy artillery, desroyed a point of vantage organized by the Germans in a ceme-tery at Dixmude. The enemy bombarded Ypres, where there were sev-

eral victims among the civilian popu-The German artillery also bom- he was well treated

ed.
"In Champagne toward nightfall
"In counter-atyesterday we repulsed two counter-at-tacks, pursued the enemy and seized several trenches. In one of these we found about 100 dead and some war

"In the Argonnes, at Four De Paris, an attack attempted with the object of debouching against our line, was checked completely. "In Lorraine our patrols occupied Embermenil. "In the Vosges there has been ar-

tillery action." BRITISH AIR SQUADRON BOMBARDED WESTENDE

Inflicted Great Loss on German Forces in Trench.

Paris, via London, March 14, 11:50 p. m.—The following official statement was issued by the war office tonight: "The British air squadron has ef-fectively bombarded Westende. "The success gained by the British day. Mr. Redmond said that Ireland had been admitted to her proper place in the British empire, with perfect and absolute good faith and loyalty. He declared that a quarter of a million Irishmen bad joined the colors and more are making ready.

It is announced at Watshington that a close watch is to be kept on ships armies at Nueve Chappelle proves to livered by the Germans with great vi-

"The enemy suffered great losses and left in the hands of our allies prisoners to a number considerably greater than at first reported. "The British heavy and field artillery very effectivly prepared the way for and supported the vigorous ac-

tion of the infantry.
"In Champagne we have consolidated our new front by advances at different points and have firmly es-tablished ourselves on the lines of crests captured from the enemy. "In the Argonne, between Four de Paris and Bolante, we have made ourselves master of more than 300 yards of trenches and taken prisoners who included several officers. The enemy nade two counter-attacks during the day but were completely repulsed.
"On the heights of the Meuse, at Les Eparges, the Germans attempted an attack which was immediately stopped by our fire. The same thing stopped by our fire. The same thing happened at Le Chamois, north of Badonviller."

FRENCH USING A NEW SORT OF HAND GRENADES.

Said to Fill the Air With a Pestilential Odor.

Berlin, March 14, via Wireless to Sayville, N. Y.—The war office gave put the following statement today: "Several of the enemy's ships yes-terday afternoon shelled without result German positions from the vi-cinity of La Panne and Nieuport, "Near Neuve Chapelle, except for one isolated British attack which was re-pulsed, there were only artillery duels pulsed, there were only artillery duels.
"In Champagne, the French again made partial attacks to the east of Souain and north of Le Mesnil. All of these attacks broke down under the derman fire, with heavy losses to the

"In the Vosges the weather is better and fighting has been resumed. In the Argonnes the French are now using a new sort of hand grenades which fill the air with a petilential odor. The infantry is also using explosive bullets which burst into flames when striking objects. This was observed in yesterday's engagements. "On the eastern front the situation is unchanged."

AEROPLANES OF ALLIES

DESTROY A ZEPPELIN. Nine Members of a Crew of 41 Have Been Found Dead.

Paris, March 14.-The destruction of a Zeppelin airship in the vicinity of Tirelmont on March 11, says the students from this vicinity. He served as paymaster general on the staff of Governor Lounsbury. Mr. Pine was also a member of the commission that Matin's Havre correspondent, was the work of two French and two English aeroplanes. The statement that it fell during a storm is denied. Mem-bers of the crew of 41 aboard the craft are reported to have been found dead, while 29 were so badly injured dead, while 29 were so they died the next day.

No Berlin Comment on the Sinking of the Frye.

Berlin, via London, March 14, 7.30 p. m.—Berlin newspapers without exception refrain from commenting upon the sinking of the American ship William P. Frye by the German converted cruiser Prinz Eltel Friedrich. These newspapers have published nothing upon the subject beyond ac-counts of the event and a statement from the captain of the vessel that

#### Cabled Paragrar's 5 Steamers Sunk Aviator Beachey Daughter Born to by a Submarine -A daughter was e wife of Dr. Paul

and child are excellent.

Vienna Tells of Repulse of Russians

despatch received today by the Austro-Hungarian embassy here.

German Hydroplane Wrecked.

London, March 14.-The wrecking of

German hydroplane off the Danish coast is reported in a telefram from Copenhagen to the Exchange Telegraph

Geneva, via Paris, March 14.-The

largest coal depot on the Rhine, lo-cated at Strassburg, which was set afire by a bomb dropped by a French aviator during a raid fifteen days ago,

is still burning. Four thousand tons of coal has been destroyed and 20,000

felt that the fire may endanger Strass-burg.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR

Body Placed Temporarily, in. a. Re-

Tarrytown, N. Y., March 14.— Funeral services for Mrs. John D. Rockefeller were held late today in the Rockefeller home at Pocantico

Hills. Only members of the family, close friends and employes on the

Rockefeller estate attended. After the services it was announced that the body would be placed in the receiving

vault of John D. Archbold in Sleepy

Hollow cemetery here until it is de-cided whether the burial shall take

place at Pocantico Hills or in the family plot in Cleveland, John D. Rockefeller held little Win-

throp Rockefeller, his grandson, on his knee during the services which be-

gan shortly after four o'clock and

were conducted by the Rev. Cornelius Woelfkin, pastor of the Fifth Avenue

Baptist church in New York, which

the Rockefeller family attended when in that city. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., with his wife, sat close beside his

father.
Solemn tones from the great pipe

organ in the Rockefeller home under

the hands of the organist from the Fifth Avenue church opened the ser-vice and the hymns "Jesus, Lover of

My Soul" and "Oh, Love That Will Not Let Me Go" were sung by the

was followed by another violin solo and after "Now the Day is Over" was

sung by the quartette, the service closed with a benediction. The coffin was banked with hun-

LYDDITE USED BY FRENCH

A Number of Teutons Asphyxiated in

Underground Struggle,

Paris, March 14 .- A subterranean

struggle has been in progress for sev-eral months in the vicinity of the Alger farm, east of Rheims, says an

official note which describes the oper-ations. Sapping and counter-sapping

progresses on one side or the other

up to the moment mines are exploded

the enemy and learned by their whis-

pers worked faster than their

OBITUARY.

Charles H. Pine.

Ansonia, Conn., March 14.-Word was received here today of the sud-

den death at St. Petersburg, Fla., of Charles H. Pine, president of the An-sonia National bank, a former speak-

er of the Connecticut house of repre-sentatives, a prominent Civil war vet-

eran and a director of a number of

weeks in Florida for the benefit of his health. Last night a telegram was received telling of his serious illness and this was followed by another mes-sage today with news of his death.

Mr Pine was born in what is now

Torrington, in September, 1843, While a young man he enlisted in the Sec-ond Connecticut heavy artillery at the

outbreak of the Civil war and saw

active service.

He gave a scholarship to Yale uni-

versity some years ago, known as the Charles H. Pine scholarship to aid

erected the Sedgwick monument at

Gettysburg.

His wife died a number of years

Movements of Steamships

New York, March 14.—Arrived: steamers Europe, Genoa; Ioannina, Piraeus. Sailed: steamer Niagara,

Genoa, March 13.—Arrived: steamer Cedric, New York and Boston.

Liverpool, March 14.—Arrived: steamer New York, New York. Sail-ed: 15th, steamer St. Paul, New York.

New York, March 14.—Steamer Or-duna, Liverpool for New York, sig-

nalled. No position given. Dock 5:30

ago and he leaves no cchildren.

orporations.

Mr. Pine had been spending several

as might be.

take the initiative.

ceiving Vault in Sleepy Hollow

MRS. JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER

ons more is menaced.

Some fear is

ishing boats

Washington, March 14.-Repulse of Russian attacks along the lower Nida at Gorlice and in the Carpathians was announced in a Vienna foreign office SUCCESSFUL THREE DAYS' CRUISE OF THE U-29.

FOUR BRITISH, 1 FRENCH OVER S. FRANCISCO BAY

Gave Crews of Most of the Vessels Time to Leave-Was Chased by Pa -Uneasiness in Shipping Circles.

London, March 14, 10.30 p. m.—The ubmarine U-29, one of the largest Channel, where on Thursday, Friday band Saturday she succeeded in sinking four British steamers and one French steamer and in damaging The body has been recovered. three others.

Crews Given Time to Leave.

Chased by Patrol Boats. The U-29 was chased by patrol boats, but proved too elusive for them, while steamers which tried to ram or escape her found that the submarine today for the first time in several which had previously been sent on a provincial series of the several series of the s mission to destroy Great Britain's ally large crowd had been attracted to oversea trade.

Uneasiness in Shipping Circles. With a German submarine in the vaters around the Scilly Islands which the big linears pass on their way across the Atlantic, there is much unway This report, it monoplane. ls believed, arose from the sinking of the Andalusian which belongs to the Ellerman line.

The machine was at an altitude of about 3,000 feet when Beachey shut of the Ellerman line.

The machine was at an altitude of about 3,000 feet when Beachey shut of the power. For about a thousand feet his power. For about a thousand feet his power, when the care's and the control of the care's and the ca

STORY OF THE SINKING

OF THE ANDALUSIAN. German Craft Towed Lifeboat of

Doomed Ship Near a British Steam-London, March 15, 1.15 a, m .- Cap-

tain Malley of the Ellerman Line steamer Andaivsian, which was sunk by a German submarine told the folquartette from the same church. There followed the rendering of the scripture by the Rev. Mr. Woelkin lowing story of the loss of his boat:
"Howling from Liverpool, we kept
to a course well—to the westward in
the hope of escaping submarines. But
twenty miles west of Bishop Rock
the second officer reported a submaand a violin solo by Richard Arnold.
The quartette sang "The Sands of
Time are Swift" and Nearer, My God
to Thee" and prayer was offered. It rine off the port bow. I ordered the engineer to put on full steam and we got up a speed of eleven knots The submarine, however, gained rapidly on us and came alongside the dreds of floral offerings. Telegrams of condolence also came from friends throughout the country. Andalusian and ordered us to leave

The body of Mrs. Rockefeller was not removed from the mansion this after-noon, Mr. Rockefeller expressing a "In embarking in a lifeboat I broke ticing this, invited me on board the submarine, where I went to the captain's cabin and a sailor bandaged my injury. The submarine toward are submarine. The German comn desire to postpone the ordeal as long injury. The submarine towed our crew until we were rear a British steamer TO DESTROY TRENCHES

quietly sunning herself beneath stern of the wreck. She dived as we came near.'

STEAMER AUGUSTE CONSEIL TORPEDOED BY SUBMARINE The advantage rests with those who Crew of 28 Men Saved by a Danish Steamer.

Details of the incidents connected with one of these operations are given in the note which says: Bordeaux, France, March 14, via Paris—The steamer Auguste Consell, from Cardiff for Rouen with a cargo "Listeners, conveniently placed, establish the proximity of a gallery of from Cardiff for Rouen with a cargo of coal, was torpedoed by a submarine off the Start Point, near the southern extremity of Devon, England, Thurs-day afternoon. The crew of twenty-eight men is reported to have been saved by a Danish steamer and taken perings that it was occupied. The difficult operation of mining then began. Ventilators were stopped, because it was feared the noise they made might attract the Germans' attention. The candles used for illumination freto Falmouth.

quently went out for lack of oxygen.
"Finally the Germans became
aroused to the danger which confront-The August Conseil belonging to the Society Les Affreteurs Reulnis was a steamer of 1,852 tons. She sailed from ed them and soon the blows of their picks were heard. The French sap-Hyeres, France, Jan. 25, for Havre, where she arrived February 5th. Martime records contain no information sarles, however, and exploded 650 kilograms (1,400 pounds) of lyydite, desoncerning her movements after tha troying the enemy's gallery and as-phyxiating the Germans working

Given Ten Minutes to Leave Ship. Falmouth, via London, March 14, 7.30 m.—The Auguste Consell was sunk by the German submarine U-29 crew arrived here today on the Danish steamer Excellence Pieske. Members of the crew say that the ommander of the German submarine gave them ten minutes in which to eave their ship after which she destroyed with bombs. The German commander told them he left Cuxhaven six days ago and was about to return. He said that the U-29 would be replaced by another submarine.

RAILROAD EMPLOYES HELD

A "SAFETY FIRST" MEETING Methods Illustrated by Motion Pictures at New Haven.

New Haven. Conn. March 14.—Two thousand employes of the New York, New Haven and Hartford and Cen-tral New England railroads gathered at a local theatre today for a "safety first meeting." Several special trains brought many of them here from New England points. Motion pictures illustrating safety methods, were as feature of the meeting. Addresses were made by President Howard Elliott, General Manager C. L. Bardo

Fire Causes Death of Two Brothers. Lexington, Mass., March 14.—Patrick and Michael Costello, brothers, lost their lives today when fire swept through the little house they occupied. Patrick died in bed of suffocation. Michael's body was found on the firs floor and he is believed to have been on his way to summon help when the flames surrounded him. Both r were of middle age. The cause Both men

Wellesley College students completed a fund for purchasing and equipping a military ambulance for service

# Drops to Death

AEROPLANE COLLAPSED AT AN ALTITUDE OF 3,000 FEET

Was Making an Exhibition Flight at Panama-Pacific Exposition and the Fall Was Witnessed by a Large Crowd-Body Recovered.

San Francisco, March 14.-Lincoln submarine U-29, one of the largest and fastest of German under-water making an exhibition flight at the craft, had a successful three days off the Scilly Islands and in the English Channel where the successful three days off the Scilly Islands and in the English an altitude of about 3,000 feet Beachey began a sharp descent. The wings of his aeroplane collapsed and the ma-chine plunged into San Francisco bay.

Was Completing Second Flight. Beachey was completing his second The German commander gave the crews of most of the steamers time occurred. Having previousy electrical to leave their vessel and in some feed thousands of spectators with a cases towed the ships lifeboats with series of aerial somersaults, the airman and additional special to give them an additional the crew to passing steamers by which sought to give them an additional they were brought to port. thtill by making one of the sensational perpendicular drops which usually featured his flights,

Large Crowd Witnessed Fall. The fatal fall was attributed to the fact that Beachey entrusted his life the fair grounds to see whether he would attempt the same exploits in the new machine that he had performed in his biplane

Was Making Perpendicular Drop. across the Atlantic, there is much uneasiness in shipping circles and during the course of the day a report
which also reached the American
liner New York by wireless, was circulated to the effect that one of them
had been torpedeed. This report, it monoplane On the first flight all went well and

it dropped head-on for the earth and then the aviator grasped his controllevers to adjust the planes for the graceful descent which had character ized his previous nights

Plunged Into San Francisco Bay. At that point the wings crumpled and the aeroplane, turning over and over in its fall, plunged into San Francisco bay, narrowly missing a vessel lying at the government trans-

Machine in Fragments.

Hundreds of spectators toshed to the nearby waterfront, but with the exception of a few fragments of the aeroplane floating on the surface of the bay, no sign of the wrecked machine could be seen Body Recovered.

put out

immediately equipped with grappling hooks, and a boat's crew from the battleship Oregon, which was anchored a short distance away, joined in an attempt to recover the body of the aviator, which was strapped to the machine under 40 tance away,

which we went aboard.
"I urged this steamer's captain to go back and try to save the Andalusian if she was still afloat. He turned back and when we came near the Andalusian we saw the submarine quietly sunning herself beneath the Brother Witnessed Tragedy.
Hillary Beachey, a brother of the aviator, witnessed the tragedy. He was standing on the deck of the U.S. transport Crook, watching the flight. He said he heard a crackling sound like the breaking of a ship's mast. The monoplane fell only a few feet away to the standard of the said he heard a crackling sound like the breaking of a ship's mast. The monoplane fell only a few feet away to the standard of the said he heard a crackling sound like the breaking of a ship's mast. the from the transport.

> That Beachey was still alive when struck the water and had suffered major injury as a result of the fall except a broken leg. was opinion expressed by Dr. David Stafford, autopsy surgeon, who amined the body at the morgue tonight. Jap Troops Go to Manchuria,

> Tokio, March 14.—The first cor tingent of troops has started for aMnchuria. General Hongo of the 17th di-vision which followed conferred today with Lieutenant General Oka, minister of war, and will be received by the emperor tomorrow. Port Arthur is reported to be a busy spot.

Pillaging at Adrianople. London, March 15, 2.57 a. m.—Telegraphing from Sofia, the roccespondent of the Daily Mail says that it is reported that rioting and pill have taken place in Adrianople.

Death Due to Drowning. The face, srid Dr. Stafford, discolored from strangling, indicating that death was due to drowning, Made Desperate Efforts to Release Himself.

Cuts on the aviator's hands taken to indicate that he had made desperate efforts to release himself from the mesh of twisted wires and rods in which he was entangled. Was Protected by Engine.

When the machine fell, Beachey was protected by the engine, propel-lers and hood of the monoplane, which struck the water first. It was pointed out that if Beachey could have disengaged bimself he would proba-bly have managed to keep afloat long enough to be rescued.

**ERSTWHILE BELLE OF EUROPEAN** COURTS DIES IN A COTTAGE. Fortune Swept Away by Unwise Investments of Her Husband.

South Bend, Ind., March 14.—Mrs. Peter Veuve, who was Countess Jeane De Madre, once a belle of European courts and a friend of Em-press Eugenie, died March 10 in her small cottage in South Bend, it be-came known today. The former countess was 83 years old. Mrs. Veu-ve was the daughter of Count Hippolyte Henri De Madre, whose home in Brussels,

She was a nurse in the Franco-She was a nurse in the Franco-Prussian war and was decorated for bravery. About 1880 the countess came to America with her son, who contracted an illness and died. The son was a classmate at Sandhurst, England, with the Prince, who is now King Alfonso XIII of Cpain. After her son's death, the countess married Peter Veuve, a Swiss whom she had whown in court circles in Europe. He made unwise investments and the made unwise investments and countess' fortune was swept away. Esther Ryan, were held by the dis-Veuve brought his wife to South trict court for a hearing March 30, on Bend an dobtained employment in a a charge of manslaughter. Each

### Condensed Telegrams

Mi-Careme passed almost unnoticed

Bulgaria is transporting her heavy

Milwaukee brewery workers went on trike, one day ahead of the scheduled walkout. Gothenburg, Norway, is choked with

ined for Hamburg. The new coast guard cutters Ossip-

pee and Tallapoosa will be launched April 20 at Newport News. Rafael Zaldivar was appointed by

minsiter to the United States. Women of Holland invite women from all other nations to meet at The Hague for a peace conference.

The Huntington, W. Va., plant the American Car & Foundry will resume operations Monday. An involuntary petition in bank-uptcy was filed by the Hammond

Brewing Co., at West Hammond, Ill.

Ashore near Little Egg Harbor, N. J., the American bark Plummer was refloated with the aid of a wrecking tug.

Secretary McAdoo was successfully operated on for appendicitis at a Washington hospital. His condition is

An order for 40,000 tons of steel alls was placed with several Amerian rail mills by the Russian Gov-

Allan Ryan, a stock broker of New York refused to answer questions be-for the Senate ship lobby inquiry A bill imposing a tax of \$5 yearly on

re was introduced in the West Virginia House. A dispatch received in London from thens states that a decree authorizng a loan of \$8,000,000 will soon

The Canadian Pacific liner Montrose ashore on the West coast of Afica and is sending out wireless calls

Striking miners of the Urestonburg & Middle Creek Co.'s Prestonburg, Ky., were joined by miners of the Colonial Coal & Coke Co. A bill providing for prohibition throughout the Territory of Alaska was introduced in the lower house of

the Legislature. Because pigs consume so many potapes, the twenty million now in Ger-many must be slaughtered at the rate

Mrs. Clara Muriel Kipling, a nurse in the American Hospital in Paris, was awarded the gold "Medaille neur des Epimeics."

Asher Sheldon, oldest resident New Haven, Conn., celebrated his 101st birthday, and tangoed to show that he is still spry.

sota State Senate increasing railroad Des Molnes passenger rates in that tSate from 2 orders from the navy department to o 2 1-2 cents per mile.

Fifty thousand pounds of hemp were purchased in Winchester, Ky., at \$10 the right of de facto government to per 10 pounds, the highest price ever close a port not in its possession is

Ships of the French line sailing from New York will dock at Bordeaux instead of Havre, because of the danger to navigation in the war zone Alive When He Struck the Water.

> burned to death at Rumford, Me., when a small building in the railroad yard, in which he was sleeping, was William Minton and his wife perish-

John Snell, aged about 60 was

ed when their cottage on Sunset Hill, Nahant, Mass., was burned early Saturday. The house was in flames when firemen arrived. In spite of the fact that she will be

compelled to wear an artificial limb, Mme. Bernhardt, whose leg was amputated at Bordeaux, decided to tour America in the fall. Miss Hannah M. Horton, aged 82 was found dead in her home at Goshen, N. Y. She is believed to have

fortable room off the prison yard where he had been quartered during been murdered by burglars, as the house was ransacked. Louis Hoz, Italian Consul at Calgary Alberta, is in prison charged with misappropriation of \$5,000 sent to him by his countrymen to send to their families in Italy.

Fire destroyed three wooden buildngs on Washington street, North Attleboro, Mass., in the centre of the business district, eartly Saturday, causing a loss of \$60,000.

Germany having informed Switzer-land that the exportation of coal from Germany will be shortly prohibited, England offered Switzerland as much as she requires, at cost price.

Several Indians representing the Washakie tribe called on Indian Agent L. D. Creel at Salt Lake City and requested that the Government prova "national flag" for the Indians. Formal announcement of the en-gagement of Miss Katherine Page, daughter of American Ambassador W.

laughter of American Ambassador

H. Page, to Charles P. Loring, a Boston architect, was made in London. Shortly after the Fall River line steamer. Providence left her dock at Fall River for New York Friady night of a man jumped from the hurricane deck into the bay and disappeared.

Allan J. McLaughlin, state health commissioner of Massachusetts, stat-ed that he would decline an assignment as health representative in Serbia of the American Red Cross and Rockefeller Foundation.

the an investigation of the death of Miss charge of manslaughter. Each furnished \$2,500 bail.

## Two Drowned in **New Haven Harbor**

BOAT LOADED WITH CLAMS SPRANG ALEAK AND SANK.

#### BARGE CREW MEMBERS

Third Man Swam Nearly Half a Mile Before He Was Picked Up by a Rowboat - Men

New Haven, Conn., March 14.—Jo-seph and Edward Bohn, brothers, of Brooklyn, N. Y., were drowned in the harbor tonight, when their small boat, loaded with clams, sprung a leak and sank in the channel. Edward Carey of New Haven swam nearly half a mile in the icy waters before he was

mile in the icy waters before he was picked up by a rowboat.

The three were members of the crew of the barge "Lewis" of Brooklyn, N. Y., which is tied up at the docks with a load of coal. Joseph Bohn was captain of the craft. He was about 21 years old and leaves a young widow, who is aboard the Lewis. She was hysterical when informed of the tragedy.

formed of the tragedy. The three had been clamming the greater part of the afternoon and were on the way back to the barge when the small craft suddenly sank. It is said that neither of the Bohn brothers could swim. Their had not been recovered at a late hour tonight.

CONDITIONS IN MEXICO CITY HAVE IMPROVED.

But a State of Anarchy Prevails in Manzanillo.

Washington, March 14,-While conditions in Maxico City have improved the food and water supply being plenished and the capital placed in order once more by the Villa-Zapata convention government, situations raught with difficulties for the United States have arisen at the port convention of Pongreso, on the Atlantic coast of Mexico and at Manzaillo, a port on the Pacific side.

Wireless reports from the American consul at Manzanillo state that a condition of anarchy prevails there, the Carranza troops is in possession being unable to maintain order; that foreigners are apprehensive and that the food supply decreasing, while the Villa-Zapata troops are investing the pproaches to the town Admirat Howard, commanding the Pacific fleet, is understood to be preparing to take foreigner away from Manzanillo if conditions do not improve. Several American ships are in the vicinity. Progreso, the port from which is shipper 90 per cert of the sisal hemp required for binding the wheat crop of the United States has been ordered closed by General Carranza to foreign commerce. He has dispatched the gunboat Zaragosa and is preparing to send the armored tug Ocampo to enforce his blockade order. The cruiser Des Moines is at Orugreso under

THAW ACQUITTED OF

not recognized.

CONSPIRACY CHARGE Fight for His Recommitment to Matteawan Will Begin Today.

see that there is no interference with

American commerce, as, in accordance with the international precedent,

New York March 14.—Harry K. Thaw's fight against being sent back to the state hospital for the criminal insane at Matteawan, following his acquittal yesterday of the charge of conspiracy in connection with his escape from that institution in 1913 will be begun in earnest tomorrow Thaw, who was remanded to the Tombs prison pending argument of his attorney's motion that he be sent back to New Hampshire, whence he was extradited to stand trial on the conspiracy charge, had nearly recov-ered today from the severe cold which for a time last week threatened to incapacitate him. Last night he was

removed to his cell from the com-

his illness. He seemed in good spirits, but would not talk about his case. He said he was following the instructions of his counsel to keep silent in this to respect. He received no visitors and to spent a good part of the day reading and exercising Tomorrow afternoon Thaw's counsel will argue their motion for his return to New Hampshire taking the ground that he was brought here to stand trial on the conspiracy charge and that, having been acquiteed, the commitment on which he was orig-inally sent to Matteawan is not operative and he should be returned to the state from which he was brought on extradition proceedings. fail to obtain a ruling in their client's favor, Thaw's attorneys are expected to sut out a writ of habeas corpus and to seek to show that he is sane and entitled to legal discharge from

of the murder of Stanford White. SHOT HOTEL CLERK

Matteawan, where he was sent after his acquittal, on the ground of insanity

AND STOLE \$30. On West 34th Street, New York-Refused to Thow Up His Hands.

New York, March 15 .- Two men entered the lobby of the Hotel Atlan on West 34th street near the theatrical listrict today, fatally shot Charles ler, the clerk, and escaped after robbing the cash drawer of \$30 Miller was alone in the lobby at the time. According to the brief story he gave before he died, the men ordered him to throp up his hands. Miller, who at one time had been a wrestler, refused and closed with the robbers. One of them, he said, hit him over the head with a blackjack and both then fired repeatedly at him. He drop with five bullets in his body and

Samuel Bowles Is Dead.

assailants after rifling the

Springfield, Mass., March 14.—Sam-uel Bowles, editor and publisher of the Springfield Republican, died at 12.35